

to the Committee on Finance, with instructions, Reid Amendment No. 4427, to provide for a study.

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Reid Amendment No. 4428 (to the instructions (Amendment No. 4427) of the motion to refer), of a perfecting nature.

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Reid Amendment No. 4429 (to Amendment No. 4428), of a perfecting nature.

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During consideration of this measure today, Senate also took the following action:

By 58 yeas to 38 nays (Vote No. 204), three-fifths of those Senators duly chosen and sworn, not having voted in the affirmative, Senate rejected the motion to close further debate on the motion to concur in the House amendment to the Senate amendment to the bill, with Reid Amendment No. 4425 (to the amendment of the House to the amendment of the Senate to the bill), in the nature of a substitute.

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Senator Reid entered a motion to reconsider the vote by which cloture was not invoked on the motion to concur in the House amendment to the Senate amendment to the bill, with Reid Amendment No. 4425 (listed above).

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#### **Appointments:**

***United States Commission on International Religious Freedom:*** The Chair, on behalf of the President pro tempore, upon the recommendation of the Majority Leader, pursuant to Public Law 105–292, as amended by Public Law 106–55, and as further amended by Public Law 107–228, reappointed the following individual to the United States Commission on International Religious Freedom:

Dr. Don H. Argue of Washington. **Page S5718**

**Executive Reports of Committees:** Senate received the following executive reports of a committee:

Report to accompany Tax Convention with Malta (Treaty Doc. 111–1) (Ex. Rept. 111–3); and

Report to accompany Protocol Amending Tax Convention with New Zealand (Treaty Doc. 111–3) (Ex. Rept. 111–4). **Page S5698**

**Nominations Confirmed:** Senate confirmed the following nominations:

By unanimous vote of 99 yeas (Vote No. EX. 203), Gen. David H. Petraeus, U.S. Army

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Victor H. Ashe, of Tennessee, to be a Member of the Broadcasting Board of Governors for a term expiring August 13, 2010.

Walter Isaacson, of Louisiana, to be a Member of the Broadcasting Board of Governors for a term expiring August 13, 2012.

Walter Isaacson, of Louisiana, to be Chairman of the Broadcasting Board of Governors.

Michael Lynton, of California, to be a Member of the Broadcasting Board of Governors for a term expiring August 13, 2012.

Susan McCue, of Virginia, to be a Member of the Broadcasting Board of Governors for a term expiring August 13, 2011.

Michael P. Meehan, of Virginia, to be a Member of the Broadcasting Board of Governors for a term expiring August 13, 2010.

Dennis Mulhaupt, of California, to be a Member of the Broadcasting Board of Governors for a term expiring August 13, 2011.

Dana M. Perino, of the District of Columbia, to be a Member of the Broadcasting Board of Governors for a term expiring August 13, 2012.

S. Enders Wimbush, of Virginia, to be a Member of the Broadcasting Board of Governors for a term expiring August 13, 2010.

Theodore Sedgwick, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Slovak Republic.

S. Leslie Ireland, of Massachusetts, to be Assistant Secretary for Intelligence and Analysis, Department of the Treasury.

3 Army nominations in the rank of general.

1 Marine Corps nomination in the rank of general.

32 Navy nominations in the rank of admiral.

Routine lists in the Air Force, Foreign Service, Marine Corps, and Navy. **Pages S5679–81, S5718–19**

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**Record Votes:** Two record votes were taken today. (Total—204) **Pages S5651, S5679**

**Adjournment:** Senate convened at 9:30 a.m. and adjourned, pursuant to the provisions of H. Con. Res. 293, at 9:40 p.m., until 2 p.m. on Monday,